Checklist for Filing a Low Earnings and Partial Claims Report (UCB-114)

Purpose of Filing

Use UCB-114 for vacations and other short-term layoffs. Submit a UCB-114 when a worker

has performed no services because of lack of work or worked all available hours but less than his customary full-time hours and earned less than normal full-time wages because of lack of work during a claim week (seven-day period ending on the claim week ending day). Such worker continues to have a "job attachment" relationship with the employer and earns less than his unemployment insurance weekly benefit amount. Report all earnings, including vacation pay and holiday pay, applicable to the week claimed.

You can file using the UCB-114 for only six weeks per benefit year. After six weeks, the worker must report to the local office if still unemployed. Do not use UCB-114 if the worker

isn't able or available for work. These workers (claimants) must report to the nearest local office so the Dept. of Employment and Workforce can investigate the situation.

NOTE

This application will enable you to file online one or more SC Department of Employment and Workforce (SCDEW) Low Earnings and Partial Claims Report. After logging in, click on "Low Earnings and Partial Claims Report." Remember, you can "Save and Stop" your filing at any time.

Filing the Low Earnings and Partial Claims Report

Multiple claim weeks may be filed on one application. You will also be given the opportunity to copy filings from previous weeks as long as they have been filed through SCBOS. This will save you entry time. These features are unavailable in the paper version of the application.

Information needed for the filing:

□ SCDEW account number and PIN number. The account number is located on most of the correspondence from SCDEW. If you don't have a PIN, leave the field blank and the workflow will enable you to establish a four digit (numeric) PIN.
☐ Legal business name and location.
☐ Claim week ending day. The claim week ending day must fall on the day of the week that is

you have agreed to file your claims. This day will be displayed to you as a reminder in the

workflow. The claim week ending date cannot be the date of entry (for example today), any future date beyond the day of entry, or nor more than no more than 14 days past the claim week ending date.
☐ Choose whether to perform entry of the individual information directly, or by uploading a Comma Separated Value (CSV) file. Direct entry is much easier but businesses with a large number of claims may choose to upload the file. If you choose to perform the file upload option your file must meet the SCBOS defined data format. Instructions on this format can be found at this link.
☐ Claimant information required includes the following: name, SSN, first name, last name, total earnings, sex, race, whether a corporate officer, whether a US citizen, whether the address entered is a change of address, address, and optionally the phone number of the claimant.
Report You have the opportunity to print a report listing all claimants for all the week ending dates. The application is not submitted to DEW until you put the application in the shopping cart and checkout.
Shopping Cart and Checkout
☐ Select the items that are to be checked out (you many have more than one item in the shopping cart).
☐ CHECKOUT to complete the transaction even through you are paying nothing.
☐ A receipt will be available to you at checkout.
Other

You can start getting familiar with SCBOS by checking out the tutorials which will take you step by step through registering for the first time and finding the right application/filing/payment.

Once you've had a chance to familiarize yourself with SCBOS, go to www.scbos.sc.gov and create a new user account by clicking on the "Sign Up" button. You must have a user account to apply, file, or pay. Proceed to click on SCDEW - UCB-114 Low Earnings and Partial Claims Report – a featured application.

Remember, you can always click on the "Save and Stop" button to save your application and resume it at a later date.